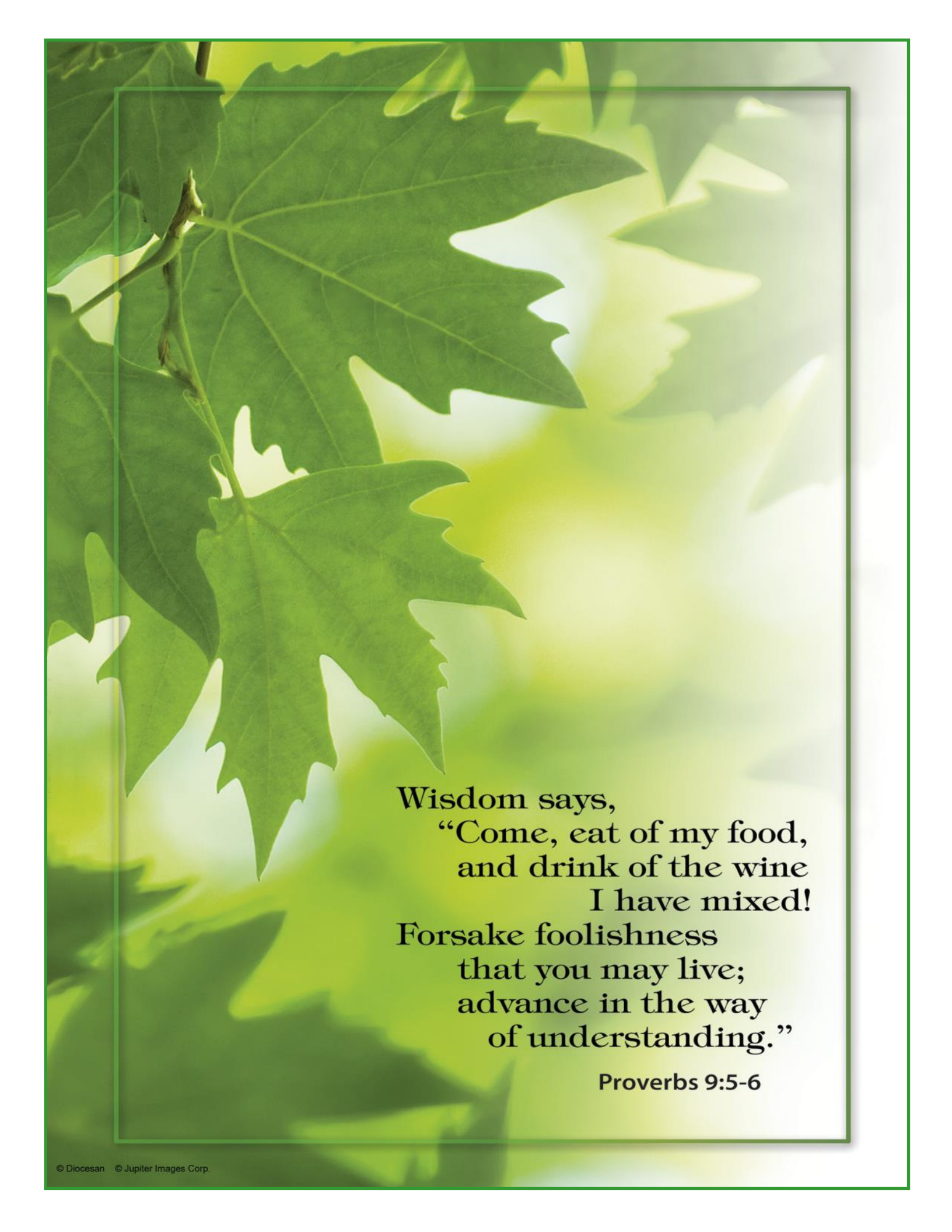




Wisdom says,
“Come, eat of my food,
and drink of the wine
I have mixed!
Forsake foolishness
that you may live;
advance in the way
of understanding.”

Proverbs 9:5-6

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**August 11, 2024 DONATIONS****General Funds**

Regular/Loose\$1,250.00
School Support.....\$450.00
ADA Rebate.....\$200.00
Total.....\$1,900.00

Cemetery.....\$195.00
Building Fund\$170.00

Mass Schedule**Saturday, August 17th**

4:00pm/Rita Strafuss

Sunday, August 18th

10:30 am/Timothy Davis

Monday, August 19th

NO MASS

Tuesday, August 20th

5:30 pm @St. Joseph

Wednesday, August 21st

8 am/Tom Spencer

Thursday, August 22nd

8 am @ St. Joseph

Friday, August 23rd

8 am/Emily Colbert

Saturday, August 24th

4:00pm/Darrell Millsap

Sunday, August 25th

10:30 am/For the People of the Parishes

Father Pat's Office Hours

If you would like to speak or meet with Fr. Pat,
please call the Rectory at 217-485-1224 or email
frpkoneal@yahoo.com

Confession Schedule

Saturday: 3:15-3:45pm Anytime by appointment.
Please call the Rectory 217-485-1224

LITURGICAL MINISTRIES**Saturday, August 17th @4:00 pm Mass**

Lector: Randy Wojan

Ushers: Denny Morgan, Rick Bates

EMHC: Sharon Morgan, Marlene Breen

Gifts: Volunteers

Sunday, August 18th @10:30 am Mass

Lector: Diane Ducey

Ushers: Mike Miller, Alan Schwenk

EMHC: Michele Ducey, Carol Miller

Gifts: Volunteers

Money Counters: Angie Stanford, Beth Erwin

Hospital Rules

Please note that if you or a loved one are in the hospital and would like the priest to visit, you will have to notify Father directly. Due to the HIPPA laws, the hospital will not notify the priest directly. This also applies to nursing homes and assisted living places. Please call Father Pat at 217-485-1224 if you need to have him come for a visit.

Prayer Requests

Please remember the following people in your prayers this week: Reese Baird, Nancy Brown-Smith, Mary Humer, Patty Kirby, Frank Norton, Cathryn Pfeffer, Zoey Smith, Jay Warfel, Jeff Holt, Helen Birtcher, Katelyn Humer, Theresa O'Brien, Tammy Mayer, Jo Church, Becky Benson, Debra Bialeschki, Joann Hesselmann-Smith, Ron Adams, Robert Smith, Maggie Grimm, Sharon Oakes, Randy Wojan, Madison Riley Houser, Ernie Goode, Ferrell Strack, Joseph William Baird, John Henry Baird, Don Eckstein, Gary Divan, and requested prayer intentions.

THIS WEEKEND—CCD REGISTRATION

August 17th & 18th after the masses, please visit the west vestibule to register your child for CCD classes at St. Patrick's. The registration fee will be \$20.

If you are unable to register at this time, please contact the office through phone or email.

FAITH COMMUNITY NURSING**Topic: Topic: Children's Eye Health**

"Children are highly vulnerable to eye-related issues, and early detection is crucial. Eye problems, such as refractive errors, amblyopia (lazy eye), and strabismus (crossed eyes), can be treated effectively if identified early. Look for signs of eye problems in children, such as squinting, frequent headaches, rubbing eyes excessively, or holding objects too close. Eye safety is equally vital during this month and beyond. Children are naturally curious, and their explorations can sometimes lead to eye injuries. Create a safe environment by removing potential hazards such as sharp objects, harmful chemicals, and unsafe toys. When engaging in sports or outdoor activities, children should wear protective eyewear to prevent accidental eye injuries" (Intercommunity Health Care, 2024).

<https://nationalcenter.preventblindness.org/vision-screening-guidelines-by-age/#1587737729525-956e2562-ba56>

Faith Community Health at Carle connects you and your faith community to needed healthcare and wellness support, taking a whole-person approach to health.

To learn more about bringing healthcare and wellness resources to your faith community, call (217) 902-3160 or email FaithCommunityHealth@carle.com.

CATHOLIC CHARITIES

Catholic Charities of Champaign and Piatt Counties is teaming up with the Texas Roadhouse restaurant in Champaign to offer a Dine-to-Donate fundraiser on Tuesday, September 10th, from 3pm-10pm to raise funds for those in need in Champaign and Piatt Counties.

Fliers are in both vestibules that need to be presented at the time meals are ordered.

Tuesdays are Kids Night which include a craft, coloring and a free sundae.

HEALING SERVICE CANCELLED

It has come to our attention that Prairie Fire Ministries is pausing their ministry. Because of this, we will not be able to host the healing event scheduled for August 24.

**St. Thomas
Ice Cream Social
Sunday, August 18th**

**11:00am - 1:00pm
John Schumacher Gym
St. Thomas School—Philo**

BBQ Sandwich / Hot Dog Meals,
Ice Cream & Desserts for a nominal donation.

The Entire Community Is Welcome!
Remind a Neighbor about this Event!

**CANADA PILGRIMAGE UPDATE!**

Fr. Pat's pilgrimage to Canada has been rescheduled. With the hope of gaining more people, the date has been changed from this coming October, to June 3-9 of next year, 2025.

The pilgrimage has been shortened from 11 to 7 days, which has decreased the price to \$2,699.

Brochures with sign-up sheets are available at the doors of the church. Please consider joining Fr. Pat on this pilgrimage to the shrines of the Canadian saints.

ST. THOMAS MORE NEWS**Fall Sports Saber Showcase**

Come join us for the Fall Sports Saber Showcase, August 24, 2024 at 6:00 pm in the STM gym for an evening of sports and community. We will be introducing our Fall 2024 Saber Student Athletes and honoring our Spring 2024 State Qualifiers.

Junior Class Fundraiser

The High School of Saint Thomas More is hosting a car wash at Prospect Bank, 1601 S Prospect Ave, Champaign, on Saturday, August 24, 2025, from 12:30 PM to 3:30 PM. All proceeds will support the 2025 prom. Come out, get your car sparkling clean, and help make this year's prom a success!

Homecoming

Join us at the high school for Homecoming on Saturday, September 21st at 1pm as STM takes on Milford. Bring your families with you and enjoy the game. We will have an alumni tent set up through halftime for check-in and for a meeting place, and alumni will be recognized at half-time. Questions? Email alumni@hs-stm.org.